

United States Senate

April 4, 2023

The Honorable Patty Murray
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins
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Dear Chairman Murray and Vice Chairman Collins:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2024 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert Menendez". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "R" and "M".

ROBERT MENENDEZ
United States Senator

**Menendez, Robert(D-NJ) Interior and Environment
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Aberdeen Township	To rehabilitate three water storage tanks in Aberdeen Township for drinking water improvements.	Aberdeen Township NJ	\$3,216
Musconetcong Watershed Association	For the adaptive re-use of the historic Asbury Mill to construct an elevator and stair tower to provide access to the Interpretive Center for Americans with Disabilities and meet modern building codes	Asbury NJ	\$805
Township of Belleville	For the replacement of lead service lines.	Belleville NJ	\$4,000
Bordentown Sewerage Authority	For continued compliance with the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) program as authorized by the EPA in 1982.	Bordentown Sewerage Authority NJ	\$1,803
Borough of Carteret	For the installation of an underground stormwater detention system on Louis Street.	Borough of Carteret NJ	\$1,000
Borough of Carteret	For the demolition of two abandoned residential structures and the construction of a bioretention facility at their former site along Bergen Street.	Borough of Carteret NJ	\$1,726
Borough of Carteret	To complete a wide range of improvements to the Borough's sanitary sewer system that will prevent future blockages and replace aging infrastructure.	Borough of Carteret NJ	\$4,000
Borough of Clayton	To rehabilitate the Borough's Well #3.	Borough of Clayton NJ	\$122
Borough of Cliffside Park	To construct upgrades to the sanitary and stormwater systems required to eliminate overflows from Regulator 12.	Borough of Cliffside Park NJ	\$3,344
Borough of Edgewater	To construct a new sewer outfall on River Road to mitigate stormwater damage.	Borough of Edgewater NJ	\$880
Borough of Freehold	For cleaning and resealing the Borough's two water tanks to ensure the storage and distribution of safe, reliable drinking water.	Borough of Freehold NJ	\$2,500
Borough of High Bridge	To replace aging and corroded water main pipes at several locations within the Borough. The project will protect public health and improve the delivery of reliable drinking water.	Borough of High Bridge NJ	\$4,895
Borough of Hopatcong	To remove 600 lines of galvanized steel and lead service lines and replace them with one-inch copper pipe to reduce the presence of lead in drinking water.	Borough of Hopatcong NJ	\$1,456
Borough of Lakehurst	This project features the upgrade of the Lakehurst water treatment plant and replacement of the water main that connects the Lakehurst Treatment plant to the Manchester Township interconnection.	Borough of Lakehurst NJ	\$5,326
Borough of Leonia	To alleviate future flooding damage within the Wood Terrace section of the Borough.	Borough of Leonia NJ	\$800
Borough of Lodi	To expand the capacity of the Lodi sewer system on Main Street and Union Street.	Borough of Lodi NJ	\$844
Borough of New Milford	To remove and replace sanitary sewer pipes at varying depths on Pine Avenue and Hughes Road in the Borough of New Milford.	Borough of New Milford NJ	\$456
Borough of Red Bank	For the removal and replacement of lead pipes in the Borough, which pose a health risk and must be replaced. Removing and replacing these pipes will provide clean drinking water to residents.	Borough of Red Bank NJ	\$3,840

Borough of Totowa	To upgrade the Riverview Pump Station in the Borough of Totowa to convey the sewage safely and properly to the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission.	Borough of Totowa NJ	\$3,703
Borough of Woodbine	To improve the existing wastewater treatment plant to maximize its 100,000 gal. per day capacity to accommodate additional flow from area facilities.	Borough of Woodbine NJ	\$5,432
City of Cape May	To construct a reverse osmosis water treatment facility, providing potable water to residents and businesses in Cape May, Cape May Point, West Cape May, Lower Township, and U.S. Coast Guard Facility.	Cape May NJ	\$10,000
City of Hackensack	For the installation of new separated storm and sanitary sewers, the rehabilitation of existing sewers where necessary, and the construction of underground stormwater storage facilities.	City of Hackensack NJ	\$7,750
City of Hoboken	To replace water mains throughout the City of Hoboken, including fire hydrant and lead service line replacements throughout the project area.	City of Hoboken NJ	\$3,631
City of Hoboken	To provide for water metering improvements throughout the City of Hoboken, and improve its capacity to assess and protect local water quality.	City of Hoboken NJ	\$2,872
City of Orange Township	To reactivate existing Well #5 located within the South Mountain Reservation to supply clean drinking water for Orange residents.	City of Orange Township NJ	\$600
City of Rahway	To provide structural repairs and painting of two water tanks that provide backup water supply to the residents of Rahway.	City of Rahway NJ	\$4,640
City of Rahway	To remediate inflow and infiltration issues within Rahway sanitary sewer system.	City of Rahway NJ	\$2,160
City of Rahway	To replace all lead service lines within the City of Rahway.	City of Rahway NJ	\$3,000
City of Woodbury	To reconstruct storm water sewer system infrastructure that has outlived its useful life and is causing a potential public health hazard.	City of Woodbury NJ	\$531
Borough of Dumont	To rehabilitate the sanitary sewer system and upsize the existing siphon running under the box culvert on Dixon Avenue.	Dumont NJ	\$1,010
City of Elizabeth	To replace 2,300 known lead services lines throughout the City of Elizabeth, improving health, safety, access and infrastructure.	Elizabeth NJ	\$23,000
City of Englewood	To improve stormwater drainage through the purchase of two properties, 50 Williams Street and 47 Brook Avenue; the installation of detention basins at each property; and stream bank stabilization.	Englewood NJ	\$1,440
Borough of Fair Lawn	To stop the corrosion of the existing pipe and reinforce the stability of the line extending from Saddle River Road pump station to South Siphon pump station.	Fair Lawn NJ	\$713
Borough of Fairview	To complete storm and sanitary sewer water drainage improvements along Hamilton Avenue to ensure storm and sewer water is captured and stored properly to maintain clean water standards.	Fairview NJ	\$1,033
Borough of Fieldsboro	To construct a new sewer treatment plant for the Borough of Fieldsboro.	Fieldsboro NJ	\$3,000
Florence Township	To cover the costs of extending water service from Potts Mill Road to Florence/Columbus Road along Rt 130 Northbound	Florence Township NJ	\$979

Borough of Fort Lee	To complete stormwater drainage improvements along Lewis Street and Ellery Avenue to increase stormwater capture and maintain clean water quality.	Fort Lee NJ	\$240
City of Garfield	For the renovation of aging drainage infrastructure and culverts in a section of the city that is prone to flooding.	Garfield NJ	\$2,500
Medford Lakes Borough	To remove hard solids from the wastewater treatment facility, to prolong the life and streamline the facility and reduce maintenance costs.	Medford Lakes Borough NJ	\$500
Borough of Morris Plains	To replace 5,220 linear feet of 8-inch diameter sewer force mains with 12-inch diameter sewer force mains running from the Johnson Road pumping station to Tabor Road (Route 53).	Morris Plains NJ	\$1,481
Borough of Morris Plains	For replacement of the 48-year-old Johnson Road sewer pumping station. It is one of three sewer pumping stations in the Borough that support the sewer system by keeping the flow moving.	Morris Plains NJ	\$1,654
Mount Holly	To mechanically dredge Buttonwood Lake to improve water quality, manage stormwater, and expand recreational activities.	Mount Holly NJ	\$1,002
Municipality of Princeton	To seal leaking cracks and other defects in the sanitary water mains, which will prevent Infiltration and Inflow (I&I) surface and groundwater from entering the sanitary sewer system.	Municipality of Princeton NJ	\$3,000
Borough of North Caldwell	To replace watermain experiencing frequent breakages and posing safety hazards.	North Caldwell NJ	\$754
North Hudson Sewerage Authority	To line existing sewer lines in priority areas of West New York and Weehawken with cured-in-place pipe (CIPP), a product that is more durable, easily maintained, and less prone to cracks and failure.	North Hudson NJ	\$1,120
Borough of Norwood	To remediate local flooding and improve stormwater drainage issues.	Norwood NJ	\$70
Borough of Norwood	To remediate local flooding and improve stormwater drainage issues.	Norwood NJ	\$118
Borough of Prospect Park	For the replacement of 7,000 linear feet of clay sewer pipe with PVC sanitary sewer pipe and roadway improvements as needed.	Prospect Park NJ	\$3,337
Borough of Ridgefield	To complete improvements at Wolfe Creek including dredging and tree and brush removal to mitigate nonpoint source pollution and instances of flooding.	Ridgefield NJ	\$400
Sussex Borough	To install a bypass water line to connect flow from the Clove Brook directly to the water transmission main.	Sussex Borough NJ	\$1,007
Sussex Borough	For raising the sewer pumping station above flood level to keep it operational during a storm event.	Sussex Borough NJ	\$750
Borough of Swedesboro	To construct an interconnection between the Borough of Swedesboro water system to an adjacent water purveyor's system.	Swedesboro NJ	\$250
Borough of Swedesboro	To replace deteriorating sanitary sewer infrastructure within the Borough of Swedesboro.	Swedesboro NJ	\$8,166
Borough of Swedesboro	To Decommission and Demolish the existing Swedesboro Sanitary Sewer Treatment Plant.	Swedesboro NJ	\$400
Borough of Swedesboro	To replace the aging Swedesboro wastewater treatment plant with a new pump station to discharge sewerage to the Gloucester County Utilities Authority.	Swedesboro NJ	\$3,100
Borough of Swedesboro	For the complete replacement of water service lines, consisting of lead, in order to comply with DEP regulations.	Swedesboro NJ	\$19,666

Town of Dover	To replace lead service lines in the most high-priority areas of the Town of Dover and the Borough of Victory Gardens.	Town of Dover NJ	\$750
Town of Guttenberg	To address existing issues with the CSO Pipe that floods a major residential complex with a mixture of stormwater and raw sewage.	Town of Guttenberg NJ	\$3,848
Town of Kearny	To replace the existing lead service lines under approximately 17-20 roadway segments, which equates to approximately 35-40 Town blocks.	Town of Kearny NJ	\$2,000
Town of Morristown	To conduct hydro-raking of the Burnham Park Lower Pond, located in the Town of Morristown, to improve water quality and enhance the aesthetic of the pond for park users.	Town of Morristown NJ	\$705
Town of Secaucus	For the replacement of existing stormwater conveyance infrastructure in an area of Town that is highly susceptible to flood events.	Town of Secaucus NJ	\$1,300
Township Of North Bergen	To mitigate sewer system overflow and improve water quality by increasing the capacity of the sanitary sewer system in North Bergen.	Township Of North Bergen NJ	\$2,520
Township of Berkeley Heights	To upgrade the Township's Sanitary Sewer Treatment Plant and stormwater drainage infrastructure.	Township of Berkeley Heights NJ	\$2,000
Township of Bloomfield	For the replacement of lead water pipelines in residential sections of the Township of Bloomfield.	Township of Bloomfield NJ	\$1,528
Township of Burlington	To purchase and install sludge dewatering equipment to increase the percentage of solids in the Township's sludge, saving valuable resources in the disposal thereof.	Township of Burlington NJ	\$4,198
Township of Greenwich	To rehabilitate the existing elevated tank water tower at the Greenwich Township Public Works facility on Memorial Avenue.	Township of Greenwich NJ	\$3,250
Township of Little Falls	The project will increase the capacity of 2 of Little Falls' 6 pumping stations to handle future flow amid proposed development projects and projected increase in severe weather.	Township of Little Falls NJ	\$800
Township of Mahwah	To stabilize the Wanamaker Drainage Ditch by relocating the channel to reduce flooding in the area.	Township of Mahwah NJ	\$225
Township of Montclair	To construct a new 1 million gallon water storage tank and to refurbish an existing 2.5 million gallon water storage tank.	Township of Montclair NJ	\$4,560
Township of Nutley	For the purpose of constructing a water booster pump station	Township of Nutley NJ	\$492
Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills	For the replacement of an aging pump station with one that has two pumps and an automatic backup system.	Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills NJ	\$4,000
Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills	For the replacement of Well 20R, a major freshwater well that is no longer usable by the Township.	Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills NJ	\$4,000
Township of Pequannock	The construction of a water treatment facility to remove PFAS from the potable water supply.	Township of Pequannock NJ	\$1,500
Township of Teaneck	To replace the sewer line at Old New Bridge Road, which will prevent flooding and sewage leaks onto the road.	Township of Teaneck NJ	\$559
Township of Union	To construct a new pump station at Liberty Avenue in Union Township. The new pump station will prevent property damage and road flooding.	Township of Union NJ	\$466
Township of Upper	To carry out planning, engineering and design work for the introduction of a sanitary sewer system to serve the Beesley's Point and Marmora sections of Upper Township	Township of Upper NJ	\$4,080

Township of Verona	To remediate two drinking water wells that have been out of use due to contamination.	Township of Verona NJ	\$5,696
Township of Wayne	To rehabilitate Mountain View Pump Station for improved wastewater	Township of Wayne NJ	\$2,400
Township of West Orange	To upgrade the pump stations in the Township of West Orange to ensure they remain in working order, improving surface/groundwater quality and reducing municipal energy costs.	Township of West Orange NJ	\$1,600
Willingboro Municipal Utilities Authority	To provide safe drinking water compliant with proposed federal PFOS maximum contaminant levels (MCL's)	Township of Willingboro NJ	\$20,000
Village of Ridgefield Park	To separate localized sewer lines in the Village of Ridgefield Park into separate stormwater and wastewater pipes.	Village of Ridgefield Park NJ	\$3,000
Borough of Waldwick	To lower the amount of PFAS/PFOS compounds in the Waldwick water system the Borough is requesting federal funds to help assistance in upgrading water treatment facilities.	Waldwick NJ	\$3,000
Borough of Woodland Park	For the purpose of upgrading the equipment and systems of the Browertown Road Water Booster Station	Woodland Park NJ	\$813